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An American woman was confined in the Kirov jail in June 1949. The PW did not see her and made no effort to memorize her name because he had no hope of release before serving a 25-year sentence imposed upon him. Other prisoners said that she was from Florida and had worked in Budapest as a newspaper correspondent. She was arrested there and deported to the U.S.S.R. Reason for her arrest was that she had written some articles which the Soviets did not like.

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